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Off the Menu

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Opening This Week

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INSIDE PARK AT ST. BART'S

Capitalizing on the success of the cafe on its terrace, St. Bartholomew's Church has converted its chapter house into a year-round restaurant. The soaring ceilings of the airy, unfussy room are decorated with Byzantine motifs. The chef, Matthew Weingarten, left, is pickling everything he can find at the Greenmarket, to serve as the season cools. The restaurant opened on Tuesday: *109 East 50th Street, (212) 593-3333.*

MR. JONES Yakitori skewers, mostly \$4 to \$7, dominate Bryan Emperor's menu. This spot opens on Thursday: *243 East 14th Street, (212) 253-7670.*

WALTER FOODS Danny Minch, a former bar manager, named this place, which serves classic American dishes, for his dog, Walter. His partner, Dylan Dodd, a restaurateur, and the chef, Justin Ernsberger, did not mind. It opened on Monday: *253 Grand Street (Driggs Avenue), Williamsburg, Brooklyn; (718) 387-8783.*

Open Now

CAFÉ SELECT Most restaurateurs wait until the gas is turned on before opening. Serge Becker and his partner, Oliver Stumm, aren't that patient. The kitchen at this spot, which has a comfortable neighborhood vibe, is making salads, sandwiches, meat and cheese plates, and, because both owners hail from Zurich, bowls of muesli, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.: *212 Lafayette Street (Spring Street), (212) 925-9322.*

EMPANADA JOE'S With a store at 2857 Broadway (111th Street), and now Times Square, this perky brand qualifies as a chain featuring baked empanadas (nice pastry, tasty enough fillings of pork, beef, chicken, veggies and more), \$3.38 each: *683 Eighth Avenue (43rd Street), (212) 977-2600.*

FIVE LEAVES Many hands have been involved in this Brooklyn spot, including [Heath](#)

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